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Students vow to make positive changes

Campus reacts to recent riots

BY RACHEL HOFFMAN
EDITOR

"We will make a positive change in this world!"

Students, faculty and staff met Saturday afternoon in front of Old Main to talk openly about the recent racial violence in California.

More than 20 people voiced their opinions about racism, institutional slavery, responsibility, social and legal injustice and other minority related topics.

On hand were numerous students, Sam Michaelson, professor of English; Jeff Sellen, assistant professor of English; Les Huth, professor of education; Jerome Rowan, associate director of admissions; Rochelle Rowan, director of minority student affairs; and Dr. Robert Vogel, college president.

"I think the student movement has a lot of power to influence society," said Jerome Rowan. "Each person can make a difference."

Students voiced frustrations and concerns about racial violence and rioting.

"I can't understand why these people (in South Central Los Angeles) are destroying their own neighborhoods," said James Veasey, '94.

"If they really wanted to destroy the power of the rich, they would go to Beverly Hills."

Other students said that the police in Beverly Hills would stop it. Others said that the rioters are making statements because the rich and powerful do own most of the stores in Los Angeles.

"I think these people are acting out of anger," said Felecia Webster, '95.

Racial issues at Wartburg were also discussed.

Michaelson said that if Wartburg had as many minorities as compared to the national percentage, 150 African Americans would be attending this college.

Students at Wartburg are starting to discover the realities of small towns, Jerome Rowan said in a later interview. Wartburg is not isolated from racism.

"One way or another, you pay for the problems of the world and specifically this country."

"We all have common goals. Incarceration is not the answer for ignorance."

Mr. Rowan also challenged the leadership program to maximize its efforts and talk to all students.

"Leadership should be for everyone. The best leaders are not necessarily the political leaders but those who lead in their own way," he said.

In regards to the Los Angeles riots, Mr. Rowan said that we must ask ourselves why police are comfortable beating up a black man.

"Every time I saw him get hit, I felt it," he said. "I could feel the blows because I knew that could be me."

Mr. Rowan said that Wartburg should use public forums and sensitivity workshops to help deal with issues.

Rochelle Rowan echoed this. She said that a lot of issues that she comes across deal with respect and sensitizing.

"We all need to watch what we say," Mrs. Rowan said. "A person can no longer use the excuse of being naïve. There are ways to go about asking."

Mrs. Rowan said that Wartburg needs to work towards unity and acceptance.

TALKING ABOUT CHANGE— Jerome Rowan, associate director of admissions talks with students and facilitates discussion about racism. Students gathered in front of Old Main Saturday afternoon to demonstrate against recent violence in California. Photo by Rachel Hoffman.

Editors needed

It's beginning to look as if Wartburg will not have a yearbook in 1993. At least that's the prediction of the Rev. Robert Gremmels, chair of the Communication Arts Department and Fortress adviser.

No one has applied for the position or even expressed interest, Gremmels said.

He also noted that for the last two years no communication arts majors have applied and that the editorship has gone to a non-major. So far, not even a non-major has expressed interest for next year.

"This is hard to understand," Gremmels said. "It used to be that journalism students would strongly compete for such positions in order to gain the experience, but times have changed."

He added that a number of other colleges have given up their books for similar reasons.

"We could probably do without a Fortress for one year," he said. "The trouble is that once a book is lost, it's hard to get back."

Wartburg has had a yearbook every year since the college permanently located in Waverly in 1935.

The Castle, Wartburg's literary magazine is also in need of an editor for 1992-93, according to Cameron Hanson, '92, 1991-92 editor.

VP takes consulting job

Mason resigns

BY MOLLY GEHL
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Doug Mason, vice president for advancement, has resigned. He will relinquish his duties July 10.

Mason has been at Wartburg for 10 years and has been in advancement for the past six. Prior to working in advancement, he worked in residential life and was director of admissions.

He has accepted a position with the Gonser, Gerber, Tinker, Stuhr Associate Consulting Firm in the Chicago area. This firm has worked with Wartburg for the last four years.

Mason's new duties will include consulting with colleges, universities, hospitals and non-profit organizations. He will also be involved with fund raising, admissions and public relations.

"My 10 years at Wartburg have been a rich and rewarding experience," Mason said. "It was a difficult decision to leave Wartburg because of all the dedicated and loyal people that I've worked with and come to know. The progress we've made during the past 10 years has been very much a team effort."

The vice president for advancement position will be filled by Fall Term.

Profs get tenure

Dr. Gregory Scholtz, assitant professor of English, and Dr. Ted Reuter, chair of the Music Department, have received tenure.

The decisions were made Tuesday, April 14.

The two professors were denied tenure during February. However, appeals were made.

"I am grateful for the support we have received from students, faculty and staff," Scholtz said.

Many students wrote letters to the Trumpet editor over a six-week period.

College relations director named

Sheryl R. Bryson, executive director of university relations at The Wichita State University in Kansas, is the new director of college relations at Wartburg.

She will be responsible for planning and administering the college's communications program and will supervise the public and sports information programs, publications, graphics, printing services and special events activities. She begins employment May 26.

"She is an experienced professional in the field of public relations," said Doug Mason, vice president for advancement. "Her experience, enthusiasm and skills will benefit Wartburg as we build on the college's regional reputation by promoting our programs, faculty and students."

A native of Iowa, her other writing and editing experiences include positions at Iowa State University and Iowa State University Press in Ames, the Register and Tribune Syndicate in Des Moines, Adhesive Age magazine in New York, the Associated Press in Des Moines and the Marshalltown Times Republican.

She has taught journalism and public relations courses at Wichita, Iowa State and Hawaii, has published articles in several journals and has won awards for her public relations programs.

Bryson is a 1967 graduate of Drake University and has her M.S. degree in journalism and mass communication from Iowa State.She and her husband, a free-lance writer, have two sons.

Batemon hospitalized

BY MARY CASSUTT
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Ted Batemon, '95,. was injured and remains hospitalized as a result of an automobile accident that occurred Saturday, April 18 in Waterloo.

Batemon was a passenger with four other people in a car that was involved in a collision at an intersection with a car driven by an elderly Waterloo couple.

Batemon was taken to Allen Hospital and then transferred by ambulance to University Hospitals in Iowa City due to paralysis from his waist down. He received back injuries and incurred a bruised spinal cord.

He continues to be hospitalized in Iowa City due to his bruised spinal cord, but hopes to recover after extensive physical therapy.

He will be staying at least another two weeks in the hospital.

Editorial

Take time to change

Time can make all the difference in the world.

Often, one minute and one generation can be similar in the outcome.

The recent riots in Los Angeles, CA, are examples of this. The actions and violence that occur in one minute built up over more than a generation. However, we can best see it in the time span of a few minutes.

In one minute, people get killed. And in one generation, the animosity builds.

Yes, the riots are awful. Violence is never justifiable. However, maybe somehow the impact can have a positive effect.

We can see the human aspect. People are involved. Not only did those police officers beat Rodney King, they beat each African American. This is not justifiable. Nor is it humane.

So what can each of us do?

We can take the time. Not the one minute. We need to take time to educate ourselves and expose ourselves to cross cultural experiences. No one can really do that for us.

It is so easy in times like these to feel distanced from the issue and just say, "Oh, that's too bad." However, we should stop to realize actually why these things happened. We have to make a change now.

People can make all the pleas for justice and call to end racism, but it must first start from within. You can't change the attitude of *an entire humanity until you change your* own.

So, think about what you say and do. Make a conscious effort to understand. Attend forums. Take the time.

Service sometimes only provides quick fix for those in need

Jill Lafferty

VIEWPOINTS

"You be careful up there. That's the worst neighborhood in the city."

Those were the words of the woman in the bus terminal station four months ago when we Winter Term Wartburg West students began our urban adventure. Welcome to Denver.

Our first assignment of the term, riding the bus to various locations around the city, had two purposes: to teach us how to ride the bus; and to "plunge" us into neighborhoods radically different from the suburbs and small towns to which we were accustomed.

First stop: the Hue-man Experience Bookstore in beautiful downtown Five Points.

Five Points is not beautiful. Most of its residents live below the poverty level. Most of its homes are run down. Many of its businesses stuggle. There are gang problems. There are drug problems. There are homeless people.

But that's not to say that there aren't beautiful aspects to Five Points. With Anglo, Latino and African American residents, it's a neighborhood rich in cultural diversity. (The Hue-man Experience is a must-stop for anyone interested in African affairs.)

After surviving our first trip into "Denver's worst neighborhood," most of us had the chance to visit Five Points a few more times, including spending one of our final weekends of the term doing a community service project at Eulipions, Inc., a non-profit community theatre that is doing some very beautiful things for the neighborhood.

Jennie Niedermeier, Amy Kusal, Renae Burau ('92), Kristin Hacker, Nancy Lund ('93) and I worked on a bulk mailing and cleaned the parking lot for the theatre.

The service project itself was a reflection of all that is good and bad about the neighborhood. Eulipions gives residents something to be proud of and shows Denver citizens who would otherwise catagorize Five Points as "Denver's Worst Neighborhood" that the people of Five Points have something positive to offer the city.

However, the parking lot was typical of the neighborhood, containing mounds of broken glass, bottles, aluminum cans, cigarette butts, carpet that somebody threw out, parts that had fallen off cars and at least one used syringe.

The service project was also a reflection of all that is good and bad about service projects. The people at the theatre said they would have never gotten the mailing out if we hadn't helped them.

However, it was one of the most unorganized projects I had ever seen. (After working at another non-profit all term, I'm proud to say I am now an expert at bulk mailings.)

Here, we worked off of addresses written on napkins and in notebooks, handwriting most of them onto a flyer and a postcard.

What the theatre really needed was one person with enough time to organize the thousands of addresses and enter them by zip code into their computer so that for mailings in the future they could work off of ordered labels. What we did amounted to a quick fix; the next time they want to do a mailing they will have the same problem.

Cleaning the parking lot presented a similar ethical dilemma. After finishing the service project I read an article entitled "Why Servanthood is Bad" by John McKnight, whose first rule of servanthood is "never do for others what they can do for themselves."

Should we have let the people of Five Points clean the parking lot themselves? It probably would stay cleaner longer if there was an effort from within Five Points to keep the parking lot from becoming the community dumping grounds.

Temporarily, a not-so-beautiful aspect of Five Points was made beautiful again. It won't last. I felt a real sense of accomplishment after cleaning the lot, but I also know it was another quick fix.

Editor gives thanks

I would like to thank the entire Trumpet staff for all their hard work these last few months. You all did excellent jobs, and *I could* not have done it without you.

I would also like to thank Jill Lafferty, '93, for her weekly cloumns. Just reading them made me excited to go to Wartburg West next Fall Term.

Thank you to our adviser Robert Gremmels, chair of the Communication Arts Department. You have showed us all so much.

I also want to thank my frineds and family for their continued support.

-R.L.H.

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The AIDS time-bomb ticks in Iowa

BY GRANT PRICE
EXECUTIVE-IN-RESIDENCE

Over the next several months we'll be seeing a series of public service announcements on television warning that AIDS is happening in rural areas such as Iowa.

The campaign is well targeted, given the fact that new figures show the disease is spreading by 15 percent a year in communities with less than 50,000 population. That's nearly triple the rate in cities of half a million or more.

Positive HIV tests are averaging at least one a month in Black Hawk County. That's not the worst of it. This time bomb is exploding among sexually active teenagers— 77 percent increase nationally in the past two years among persons aged 13 to 24 according to a report released by a House committee during April.

From northeast Iowa to Uganda— where heterosexually transmitted AIDS has decimated the population and left thousands of orphaned children— the epidemic is spreading. Yet health care workers say the most common reaction is ignorance and denial. That is fed by an official attitude in Washington which continues to tiptoe around the real facts.

The TV spots we referred to will not use the words sex or condom. Announcements that employed those terms were ruled inappropriate by the head of the federal agency which is leading the AIDS prevention effort.

This is primarily a sexually-transmitted disease. Condoms are useful in preventing its spread. It's well past time to get rid of the hangups and start discussing this scourge in terms that are explicit enough to bring home the truth— especially to our children. That discussion needs to take place— not just on television— but in our homes and in our schools.

Editor's note: This was presented as a KWWL-TV editorial and has been reprinted with permission.

Letters

Student managers respond to complaints about caf sanitation

The student managers of the Wartburg Food Service would like to respond toa recent letter to the editor concerning the sanitation practices within the cafeteria.

Food Service is very concerned with the upkeep of sanitation and the maintenance of a clean eating environment. All people who come into contact with food are required to wash their hands with hot soap and water before assuming their job position.

Also, an anti-microbial sanitizer is to be applied to the hands if an employee leaves their station and then returns. As can be seen during every meal period, our servers are also required to wear plastic gloves rather than coming into direct contact with the food being served. Any time the hands have touched part of the body (face, arms, etc.) the gloves are to be changed and more of the sanitation solution is to be applied.

If the incident in question did occur, we sincerely apologize. Although these sanitation measures are emphasized, all of our workers are human and may have lapsed in procedure.

We will continue to re-emphasize our sanitation procedures, as they are very important to us in the Food Service. We would also like to stress that any person with a concern should feel free to contact any of the student managers at any time.

Sincerely,

The Wartburg College Food Service Student Managers

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Racism, stereotypes exist at Wartburg

BY JAMES E. VEASEY
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"Kike!" "Nigger!" "WOP!" "Honky!" "Spic!' "Bohunk!"

These are names that degrade, humiliate and dehumanize. You hear them all of the time. There probably aren't many of us who haven't used or been called one of these. These names make up the language of racism.

Defining terms

No child is born with racism; it is something something he or she catches like mumps or measles. Whether the prejudice is against race, religion, color, creed or national origin, the pattern is the same; children take their attitudes from their parents and friends.

The Oxford Dictionary describes prejudice as a person's opinion. I describe prejudice as a lack of knowledge and understanding. This lack of knowledge and understanding is very evident on the Wartburg College campus.

False sense of community

"It just makes me sick to see people staring at me just because of the color of my skin," said Loring Wilson, '95.

Wartburg has produced a false sense of community and racial harmony. I feel there is an extreme amount of prejudice that is hidden and needs to be confronted like everything else on this campus.

Prejudice is a problem that needs to be addressed.

"It's a damn shame that this college doesn't recognize the problem and do something about it," said Brian Bina, '94.

Throughout the year the administration has tried to come up with programs to reflect on the problem of racism. I feel that these programs have wet the mouth of racists and confused non-racists.

Mixed messages

I often ask myself what sort of message is this college trying to send out? And is the message reaching anyone outside of the Wartburg Community?

"I feel Waverly and the Wartburg Community are generating the same negativity as Dubuque," said Andrew Zalasky, '95.

An example of this problem at Wartburg is in the Athletic Department. Look at the varsity basketball team, and what do you see? Well you don't see any African Americans. Or any other minorities for that matter. I wish someone of another race would step up and confront this situation. Thise is a thing that plague the Wartburg institution.

Problems of injustice

It is now generally understood that chronic and remediable social injustices corrode and damage the human personality, thereby robbing it of its effectiveness, of its creativity if not its actual humanity. No matter how desperately one seeks to deny it, this simple fact persists and intrudes itself. It is the fuel of protests and revolts. Racism, like all other forms of cruelty and tyranny, debases all human beings— those who are its victims, those who victimize and, in quite subtle ways, those who are merely accessories.

"Racism has no place on this campus," said David Edwards, '94. "We are here to get an education and not to cause problems."

I often wonder if the students at Wartburg will ever wake up and understand that this is the 1990's. And racism isn't the "in thing."

The great Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. once said, "Judge a man by the content of his character, not by the color of his skin." This statement is very true. This is the model in which all students need to follow.

Stereotypes

The biggest problem with racism is the stereotypes blacks receive. The preoccupation of many blacks with hair straighteners, skin bleachers and the like illustrates this tragic aspect of American racial prejudice— African Americans have come to believe in their own inferiority.

In recent years Negro men and women have rebelled against the constant struggle to become white and have given special emphasis to their "Negroid" features and hair textures in a self-conscious acceptance of their history. To the black student, the most serious injury seems to be in the concept of self-worth related directly to skin color itself.

Address the issue

Racism is a big problem. A problem that needs to be talked about and solved. The only way Wartburg is going to promote racial harmony is to address the issue and solve it.

International music available

Music is one of the most important (and enjoyable!) manifestations of our culture. Through music, we express our history, our values, our struggles and our aspirations. We may not understand the language of the music but somehow we learn something about each other by listening to each other's music. Music builds a bridge that spans our differences.

Those who were privileged to hear Ayano Suguira's exquisite koto music this year understood something new about Japan by listening to the intricate and subtle variations in rhythm and tone on the koto. The spirit of Peru comes through in its festejo music. The story of the struggles of the people of South Africa come through the music of Ladysmith Black Mombaza.

In order to make available an opportunity for everyone in the Wartburg community to experience and enjoy the music of Wartburg's international students, a new collection of international music will be available in the Office of International Programs in the library.

Janet Alexander, director of international programs, is requesting that anyone willing to donate a tape of international music contact the Office of International Programs at 8220. Any kind of music is appropriate—popular, classical or folk. The tapes will be available for check-out by students, faculty and staff for campus events, parties or personal enjoyment.

Dorothy Diers, international programs secretary

Gripes? Complaints? The Trumpet offers you the opportunity to speak your mind. Columnist positions are available for next year. Contact Paul Everding

Christianity, Judaism: What's the difference?

BY PAUL EVERDING
ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT EDITOR

What does it mean to be Lutheran?

I and a group of three other Wartburg students were asked this question Friday night after attending a Jewish synagogue service in Waterloo. I had originally planned to attend the service as part of my Human Relations class in an attempt to experience a different culture. But I left thinking of a lot more than cultural differences.

The rabbi took us into his office after the service and began a discussion about faith and how both Jews and Christians are very much alike. From the course the conversation took it seemed almost as if the rabbi thought we were part of a religion class. I think, however, this was a good thing.

Friday night our faith was challenged—not by saying that Judaism is the only true faith, but by forcing us to examine our beliefs and just why we believe the way we do. Instead of feeling like something was taken away from me, I left feeling like I had gained something. I gained the desire to examine my faith more closely and to actually live the way I feel in my heart.

I found myself agreeing in general with almost everything the rabbi said. His main message was that the way we are currently practicing our faiths is not working. This goes for both Christians and Jews. We aren't accepting the idea that maybe we are both right—maybe Christianity is right for Christians and Judaism is right for Jews. And we may both go to Heaven.

Why can't we both be right? Two or three years ago I developed my own theory about religious differences. When I have shared it on the few occassions I have, fellow Lutherans tend to discredit it. But I like it anyway—and the rabbi feels the same way, from what I gathered during our conversation Friday night.

Consider the great religions of the world. They all either have one supreme being whom is worshipped above all else or they have very similar teachings about relationships and how to live a good life. To take this a step further, what if God is the god of all people? Jews, Christians and Muslims share the same God. Why can't everyone?

My theory is God is the god of everyone. The reason we have different faiths is because of the way God has chosen to manifest himself to different peoples. What works for one group may not work for another, so a different route has to be taken. I believe that all people who practice their faith, whatever it may be, will go to Heaven. And I don't feel that this belief has weakened my faith in the least.

Of course, I'm no expert on religions. Maybe I'm wrong. But maybe I'm right.

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Dell Association honors nine Wartburg students

Nine Wartburg students are the recipients of awards from the Dell Association for Peace and Justice for their contribution to peace and justice during the 1991-92 academic year.

The awards are presented to students who demonstrate leadership and involvement in peace and justice issues both on and off the campus, who serve as facilitators for political, racial, sexual or national dialogue and discussion of such issues and who exhibit a global perspective while encouraging others to broaden their understanding of life in the world.

The awards were presented at an Honors Convocation on campus by Kimberly Folkers, assistant professor of marketing, and Dr. Edith Waldstein, registrar and assistant dean for academic affairs.

The Dell Award for Peace and Justice, which is presented to senior students, went to Douglas Amador, Sunny Chowdhury, Julie Hanson, Peter Kareba, and Suzanne Yunker.

The Peacemaker Award, which goes to underclassmen, was awarded to Lee Johnson, '93, Andrea Infelt, '93, Angie Thurm, '94, and Felicia Webster, '95.

Amador was coordinator of the 1992 International Cultural Day at Wartburg and was social committee chair of the International Club, Chowdurry is president of the International Club and last spring organized a successful Bangladesh Relief Fund for flood victims in his homeland.

Hanson has been active in issues regarding women and the environment and is a member of the International Club and Students for Peace and Justice. Kareba has been active in International Club and has spoken both on and off-campus on issues of peace and trust.

Yunker worked in Denver, CO, with Hope Communities in the Five Points area as a student at Warturg West, and she plans to return after graduation to develop a children's support network to help them cope with problems faced by families in poverty.

Johnson has been active in issues regarding non-traditional and minority students. Infelt is involved in women's issues and was instrumental in developing the Sexual Misconduct Policy for the college. Thurm has been active in mental health issues in Iowa and participated in the Mental Health Consortium in Des Moines. Webster has been active on the Cultural Education Committee and in women's and minorities' issues.

Washington Center offers Global Village: World Politics, Economics

The Washington Center is offering The Global Village: World Politics and Economics from May 17 to 29.

During this two-week experience, people can make job contacts and hear from national and international experts and policy makers about the latest in foreign policy, international trade and the environment.

This can also give college credit. The Washington Center has been providing such experiences for college students for more than 16 years.

Included in the program will be visits to foreign embassies, the World Bank, the State Department and Capitol Hill.

For further information, call the Washington Center at (202) 336-7600.

Haines seeks summer DJ's

Disc jockeys for summer shifts at KWAR are being sought by Station Manager Brenda Haines, '95.

KWAR will stay on the air through both summer class sessions. Haines said that this programming will lend continuity to KWAR's transition from May to Fall Terms.

"By maintaining a level of programming, I hope we will retain our audience throughout the summer months and into Fall Term," Haines said.

While KWAR is required to be on the air at least 36 hours each week that summer school is in session, Haines hopes to offer programming beyond the required hours.

"Consistency is the key," she said. "Offering regular programming will allow our listeners to depend on us."

Those interested in gaining on-air experience during the summer can contact Haines at Box 951.

Students can still sign up

Model U.N. to propose change of refugee definition

BY TIM SEEGER
MANAGING EDITOR

Wartburg's Model U.N. will debate the proposed resolution that would amend the 1951 Convention's definition for a refugee.

The assembly will be held in Buckmaster Room in the Whitehouse Business Center on Thursday, May 14, from 7 to 9 p.m.

"This Model U.N. is going to be more like the real U.N.," Intern Pastor John Stiles said.

Flags will be used to represent all the countries, there will be a moment of silence and other resources will be used to make the meeting more realistic, Stiles said.

The current U.N. definition says that a refugee is someone who is outside of his or her country to avoid persecution for membership of a particular social group or political opinion."

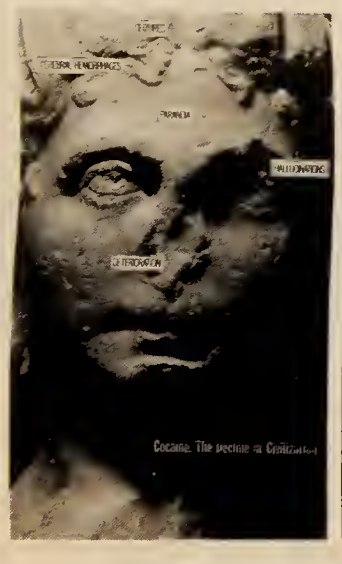
In other words, a person can be classified as a refugee if he or she flees the country to avoid persecution.

The Model U.N. resolution will attempt to expand the definition to include people experiencing economic hardships or natural disasters.

Stiles said that there are still many openings for students to take part. Students can represent any country that they want to, and they may work as groups if they wish.

A sign-up sheet is located outside of the International Student Lounge in the Student Union. Once you have chosen a country, you can find resources in the library at the circulation desk. These resources are on reserve under Model U.N.

The final edition of the Trumpet will appear Monday, May 18.



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Wartburg remembers AIDS victim Zellmer with quilt

BY JILL LAFFERTY
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome has touched almost every aspect of life in the United States. It touched Wartburg on Nov. 29, 1990, when Kenton Zellmer, a member of the development staff, died of the disease.

This May Term, Wartburg students have been invited to help in preserving Zellmer's memory by adding a stitch to a memorial quilt panel.

The quilt will be located in Buhr Lounge Tuesday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m for the next two weeks.

"We decided to put the quilt in the workplace because it puts the quilt in everyday life, just as AIDS has become a part of everyday life," Randi Ellefson, director of health services, said.

The 6 feet by 3 feet panel is part of the National Quilt Memorial Project, also known as the Names Project, started five years ago. It symbolizes the human cost of the AIDS epidemic.

"The quilt is a way of sharing memories of persons who have died of AIDS," Ellefson said.

She also said it functions as an educational piece. About 150,000 people have died of AIDS in the United States, Ellefson said, and the entire memorial quilt now includes 20,000 panels covering 10 football fields.

Zellmer graduated from Wartburg in 1964 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in business administration—economics. He returned to Wartburg in 1986 to accept a position as director of special gifts.

He served on the national leadership committee for the Wartburg Design for Tomorrow, a 10-year fund-raising campaign. Zellmer was also a member of the Wartburg College Alumni Board, the Wartburg Heritage Club and the Wartburg Community Symphony Association Board of Directors.

Ellefson leads the coordinating committee of Wartburg friends who have worked on the project. Kathy Schultz, art director in the Graphics Department, designed the quilt panel. LaRue Printing donated the screen print.

The committee includes Mary Haines, former Wartburg staffperson; Pat Nelson, wife of Director of Planned Giving David Nelson; Krista Zellmer, '92, Kent Zellmer's niece; Linda Moeller, assistant director of college relations, Todd Masman, director of student activities; Jan Striepe, director of parent and alumni relations; and Dr. Doris Cottam, associate professor of sociology.

Kenton Zellmer and his niece Krista Zellmer, '92.

Review

Wartburg achieves literary merit with Castle; excellence, creativity from cover to cover

BY PAUL EVERDING
ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT EDITOR

Wartburg College always brags about its support of the arts—and with just cause. It has a new Fine Arts Center, a choir that gets rave reviews wherever it sings, a band that does wonders with orchestral music, art majors who furnish splendid pieces for the Art Gallery. And a theatre troupe who consistently excels despite the barriers put in front of it (but that's another story).

Now I can honestly say that Wartburg deserves credit for literary merit as well.

The 1992 Castle, Wartburg's literary magazine, is just that—a Literary magazine both in look and in readability. Without even opening the front cover one gets the sense that this is something special.

Cameron Hanson, editor, tastefully used an old photograph of a group of young men gathered round a banner reading "The Philomathian Literary Society" as the cover design. Gazing at the faces of these young men in their grown-up suits is reminiscent of the Dead Poets Society. It harks back to the time when a young creative writing teacher at Wartburg found the need to give students with a desire to write the chance to express themselves.

Which is precisely what this year's writers have done. Not everything in the Castle will appeal to all readers. Some of the poems and prose are very well-written, others are interesting to say the least. But what makes them all of equal merit is the fact that the writers were willing to take the chance and express their thoughts.

In one way or another, each piece is compelling and engaging. The mind kicks into overtime.

I won't endorse one contributor above the other—that would not be fair. I will, however, endorse the 1992 Castle as one of the best. The judges, contributors, Hanson and his assistant, Corey Case should all be commended. If you haven't picked one up yet, do so. Or you just might miss out.

Cover of the 1992 Castle, Wartburg's literary magazine.

Seminar offers career advice for women

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"Women as Leaders not only helped me refine my career goals, but it helped me find my first job," said Shelley Feist, alumnus of 1986 session. Barbara Gorham, also a 1986 alumnus, said "We (women) need an edge and the WAL seminar provides that edge, it helped me a lot."

Applications for the Women as Leaders Seminar, May 17-30, are now being accepted. The program fee is $480; the housing fee is $260. The deadline for applications is Sunday, May 10. For further information, call The

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Split with second-ranked Buena Vista

Softball team finishes on high note

Wrapping up their season this past week, the Wartburg softball team went 3-3 against Coe, Buena Vista and Dubuque.

"We need to find a different motivation for next year and score runs early," Coach Robin Baker said. "We let the other team score first before we get going offensively."

The Lady Knights finish their season at 12-25 overall and 6-10 in the conference.

Wartburg played a doubleheader at Coe Monday and dropped the first game in eight innings 3-2. Jamie Whitinger was on the mound for the Lady Knights and hurled a solid game giving up only four hits.

"It was typical of us to lose a close game in extra innings and fail to get going for the second game," Baker said. "Sharon Dole struggled on the mound in the second game with a torn fingernail."

Dole was tagged for five runs in the first inning as Wartburg lost 8-2.

Upset BV

Wartburg hosted Buena Vista, the second-ranked team in the nation, Tuesday and came away with spectacular performances all around. Dole shut out the Beavers and allowed three hits in seven innings to register the upset 1-0.

"Sharon pitched the best game of her life and she really had a good time out there," Baker said. "Our defense was making great plays and the breaks were going our way."

The Lady Knights rode the emotion into the second game as Dole stayed on the mound. Wartburg took a 2-0 lead into the fifth inning but it wasn't enough as the Beavers scored four runs forcing Whitinger to come in relief.

Friday Wartburg traveled to Dubuque for the final conference games of the season. Whitinger was on the hill for the Lady Knights and registered the 3-2 victory in eight innings.

Three Seniors Lost

"Jamie ended her career with a win and this is the best year she has had," Baker said. "She really came through for us and utilized her time on the mound."

Heather Carlson pitched the second game for Dole, who had the flu. Carlson also had a fine performance as she held the Spartans to two runs on three hits tallying the win 7-2.

The Lady Knights also lose Jodi Klaudt and Sheila Mullen to graduation.

"Jodi had her best year at the plate and her strong arm in the outfield will be missed," Baker said. "Sheila batted .340 in the conference in limited action and really came through for us offensively and defensively. All three women have great personalities and their effects will be seen in years to come."

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TWO DOWN - Barb Davis reminds the team of the two outs as Sharon Dole concentrates on the next batter. Photo by Ryan Gutz.

OUT - Barb Davis can't outrun the throw to first as the Lady Knights upset Buena Vista Tuesday.

Windy conditions hamper golfers at conference meet

BY ANDREW J. ZALASKY

Saturday's windy conditions were an unfriendly guest of the Wartburg men's golf team at the Iowa Conference Meet. The winds picked up for the second round and swept away the Knight's chances of winning the tournament.

None of the five golfers improved upon their first day scores as the team finished with a combined 1371 for fifth place.

"The wind affected everyone the same," Coach Stu Thorson said. "It was just part of the game. We were hurt more by the length of the course and Saturday's pin placements."

Andy Ott was the only Wartburg golfer to place taking ninth place with a 77-86, 163. Matt Matthias shot 86-88, 174; Spencer Snelling 82-89, 171; John Carr 88-90, 178; and Tim Hawkins 85-98, 183.

"With all things considered, we have to be pleased with our finish," Thorson said. "Everyone had to play in the same conditions we did, so we just had to take what we could get."

Central College won the meet, played in Oelwein, with a 1305. Luther took second with a 1311, Loras third at 1335, William Penn fourth at 1357.

This was the final meet of the season for the team.

Five individuals qualify for nationals

Women third, men fifth at IIAC track meet

At the Iowa Conference track meet in Indianola Friday and Saturday the women's team placed third while the men captured fifth.

"We fulfilled my expectations in the team standings," Coach Steve Johnson said. "We had a lot of personal best performances at the meet."

Five To Nationals

Five individuals qualified for the national meet in Waterville, Me, May 27-30. Kris Bouman and Gary Arends in the high jump, Jane Deike in the discus and Shannon Timmons and Robyn Olson in the 5,000 meter run with Olson also in the 3,000 meter run.

"We had five individual champions and that's more than we have had in many years," Johnson said. "We really dominated the field in certain events."

Olson finished first in the 3,000 meter run in 10:31.36 seconds and in the 5,000 meter run in 18:36.26 seconds. Deike was the only other first place finisher for the Lady Knights with a 139'11" throw in the discus.

Second place finishers for Wartburg were Shelly Hammond in the discus with a throw of 129'8"; Timmons, 10,000 meter run, 41:17.98 seconds; Bouman, high jump, 5'5"; and Bridget Carney, 1,500 meter run, 4:57.24 seconds.

"Deike, Timmons, Olson and Laura Max all had outstanding meets and really performed well," Johnson.

Third place finishers were Deike in the shot put with a throw of 39'3"; Max, 10,000 meter run, 41:46.4 seconds; Timmons, 5,000 meter run, 18:56.99 seconds; and Laura Garton, 1,500 meter run, 4:58.25.

Others finishing third were Ann Oltman in the 400 meter dash in 59.93 seconds, Carney in the 3,000 meter run in 10:58.09 seconds and the 4X400 team of Beth Holst, Suzie Zuck, Denise McMillin and Oltman in 4:13.58 seconds. Wendy Ahrendson placed fourth with her personal best throw.

Farrel Dominates

"We are looking to fill some holes in our weak events with some new recruits," Johnson said. "Brian Farrel had an outstanding meet and really contributed to our team scoring."

Farrel captured first in the 100 meter dash in 11.04 seconds and also in the 200 meter dash in 22.18 seconds.

Second place finishers for the Knights were Todd Houge in the 10,000 meter run in 33:47.08 seconds; John Hintz, 110 meter hurdles, 15.15 seconds; the 4X100 team of Burke Swenson, Chad Fickbohm, Trent Holmberg and Farrel, 43.49 seconds; and the 4X400 team of Holmberg, Dave Miller, Farrel and Craig Perry in 3:22.79 seconds.

Placing third were Arends in the high jump with a leap of 6'9" and Miller in the 800 meters 1:57.51 seconds. Mike Luebbers was sixth in the discus with a throw of 134'2" and Dan Hugo was eighth in the long jump with a leap of 20'11".

"Hugo had an excellent meet jumping his personal best and he just missed placing," Johnson said.

Derrick Oden, Justin Smith and Steve Meier did not place but all had personal best performances in the 1,500 meter run. In the 400 meter hurdles Hintz placed sixth in 56.4 seconds and Perry and Todd McClain were ninth and 11th.

Lose Seniors

"We lose some valuable seniors but we are really optimistic about next year," Johnson said. "It was a fun year and I am very pleased with the entire team's performances."

Sports This Week

BASEBALL:

Friday, May 8, UNI, 3 p.m.

Saturday, May 9, at Central

OUTDOOR TRACK:

Friday, May 8, Loras Open

Place fourth in IIAC tourney

Tennis team falters in finals

Heartbreaking losses in the championship round kept the Wartburg men's tennis team from placing no higher than fourth at the Iowa Conference tournament in Decorah Friday and Saturday.

"We did very well on Friday, even better than our expectations," Coach Bob Starr said. "It gave us a very good chance at second but Saturday was disappointing for us."

Luther won its fifth straight championship with 81 points, Loras placed second with 76 points, Central finished third with 74 points and Wartburg was fourth with 73 points.

"It was the closest and most exciting conference race in many years," Starr said. "The championship could have gone to any of the top four teams."

The Knights had three people play in the singles championships. In #1 singles Mark Bradley lost to Lama of Luther 6-0, 6-3. In #2 singles Corey Halverson was defeated by White of Central 6-1, 6-3. In #3 singles Andy Knoernschild lost to Caballo of Luther 6-4, 7-6 (7-5).

Other place winners in singles play were #4 Brandon Adams fourth, #5 Scott Hendrickson fifth and #6 Brian Kidwell sixth.

"We can feel real good about the season," Starr said. "We played a very tough schedule and after the injury to Brian Jarchow a 9-12 dual record is respectable."

Wartburg also had two pairs compete in the doubles championships. In #1 doubles Bradley and Halverson were defeated by Lama and Caballo of Luther 6-2, 6-2. In #2 doubles Adams and Knoernschild fell to Whitney and Koleno of Loras 7-6 (8-6), 6-3.

"Next year will be a major rebuilding year for us as we lose four of the top seven players," Starr said. "Bradley, Halverson, Hendrickson and Kirk Watson will all be missed."

IOWA CONFERENCE MEET

Luther	81
Loras	76
Central	74
WARTBURG	73
Simpson	47
Buena Vista	37
William Penn	33
Upper Iowa	33
Dubuque	30

Host Northern Iowa Friday

Rugged IIAC play for baseball team

It was a rugged week for the Wartburg baseball team as they went 1-5 in games against William Penn, Central and Upper Iowa.

"Our pitching has been inconsistent and we have not been able to get back to back good games out of them," Coach John Kurtt said. "With all the rain during tour week we couldn't get any games in and that really hurt us."

The games bring the Knight's record to 6-24 overall and 4-14 in the conference.

"William Penn is an outstanding ball club and they only have one loss on the season," Kurtt said. "They have some good hitters and they knocked our pitchers pretty hard."

Wartburg opened the week hosting William Penn Tuesday in a doubleheader. Jay Kelley started on the mound with Mike Lampman behind the plate. The Statesmen showed why the lead the league belting six home runs in the game. Chris Gabrielson, Rod Evans and Lampman all belting one runs.

Wartburg hosted Central Friday and lost the first game in a slugfest 16-11. Chad Smith was the first of four pitchers used in the game. Brad Howe and Lampman had four hits each in the contest with Tim Kuehl adding three.

"Central is similar to us as we are battling for last place in the conference," Kurtt said. "They have young pitchers and we hit them well."

Clay Dahlquist was on the mound in the second game lasting until the seventh inning when Evans came in relief. The Knights picked up their only win of the week downing the Dutchmen 12-7.

Wartburg traveled to Upper Iowa Saturday but came home with two lopsided losses. Kelley hurled the first game as the Knights fell to the Peacocks 11-2.

"We were on the field for six hours in 90 degree heat," Kurtt said. "Upper Iowa's pitchers were ready for us and they broke our offense down."

In the second game of the twin bill Beach was on the mound but didn't fare much better losing, 15-8. Designated hitter Tom Knebel smacked a home run for Wartburg in the game.

This week the Knights wrap up their season as they host UNI Friday in a nine inning game and travel to Central Saturday.

"We have a few days off before UNI, a Division I school, and that's going to be a really tough game for us," Kurtt said. "We are really aiming for Central and those are big games for us."

AND THE PITCH - Jay Kelley concentrates on the batter as first baseman Tim Kuehl awaits the pitch against William Penn Tuesday at Hertel Field. Photo by Ryan Gutz.

Anderson came in relief of Kelley in the third inning as the Knights lost 21-3 in five innings.

In the second game Van Beach started on the hill but the William Penn bats were too much for Wartburg as the Statesmen won 18-8 in seven innings. Wartburg fared better at the plate with Mike

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Congratulations to Wartburg's Newest Alumni!

So long, Sam

After 26 years, Michaelson retires, says he'll miss the students the most

BY CAMERON HANSON
FEATURES EDITOR

My mother, upon seeing a picture of Sam Michaelson, associate professor of English in a Wartburg brochure, could not believe how skinny and old looking he appeared.

"Isn't he about ready to retire?" she inquired.

As it turns out, he is ready. And on April 10, Michaelson taught his last class as a member of the Wartburg English faculty, to which he joined in 1966.

For eight years, he was the department chair; and for 26 years, he may be was the skinniest person ever to teach at Wartburg. (He could probably hula-hoop through a Cheerio.)

But he could also enlighten students who had contact with him in way that cannot be forgotten...mainly through his retelling of his experiences in World War II, a time when music played a major role. (He was field organist on the front.)

Music is going to be a primary focus of his retirement, as he has set not big plans other than working around the house.

"I intend to practice piano a lot," Michaelson said, "that is if you can teach an old dog new tricks."

Anyone who has taken his classes understands his impact. But to Michaelson, the students have compensated for his enlightenment.

"I would have to say that I shall miss the students the most," he said. "They have made my life here at Wartburg fun."

By trying to get to know each student's name, at least of the ones he had in class, he made college fun for the students.

Four students in particular—four refugees from Vietnam—provided a distinct memory for Michaelson. They were the first refugees from Vietnam to be sponsored by Wartburg to study English in the international program, a program developed and implemented by Michaelson.

He was also responsible for the interdisciplinary course in Human Expression, courses in film and film-making and a May Term course, Arts in the City, that took students to San Francisco and Toronto. Michaelson also taught contemporary literature courses, the World Literature survey and linguistics.

The most memorable experience for Michaelson was the opening banquet.

"It was the first time I met anybody."

His introduction was memorable and entertaining for those in the audience as well. He began by describing himself as the human thermometer when he drinks tomato juice.

But do expect to see Michaelson roaming the halls, spilling his cup of coffee as he greets everyone he meets.

"As the need warrants, I will teach a few classes on the side during the next two terms."

His decision to retire was not a sudden one but was precipitated by his fainting episode during a class near the end of last term.

"I have no regrets at all about my decision. Regrets are innervating; they ruin the spirits of things."

No longer will Michaelson be on the ballots for Professor of the Year, an award for which he has been a nominee for nearly every year since its inception and for which he was a recipient in 1989-90.

INSIDE MT. OLYMPUS—Michaelson assists Yumiko Ushioda of *Japan with her English in his office housing shelves of books* and named after the supposed home of the greater Greek gods.

ASSUMING HIS NORMAL POSITION—Michaelson teaches one of his contemporary literature classes perched atop the the the front desk. By doing so, he provided for the students a relaxed learning atmosphere in which students could ask the questions.

Message of Malcolm explained

BY CAMERON HANSON
FEATURES EDITOR

Have the efforts of Martin Luther King, Jr., and Malcolm X been dismissed?

With last Wednesday's verdict on the Rodney King-police beating trial going in favor of the police, it seems that this is the question at hand.

Within the past year, it seems the message of the latter has been resurrected, with his last name printed on baseball caps and T-shirts. His message concerning African-Americans is unmistakable:

"We are peaceful people. We are loving people. we love everybody who loves us, but we don't love anybody who doesn't love us. We are nonviolent with people who are nonviolent with us, but we are not nonviolent with anyone who is violent with us."

This is the message spoken by a man born in Omaha in 1925 by the name of Malcolm Little, who, as a boy, grew up on the streets of Harlem.

At the age of 17, Malcolm X was dealing drugs, pimping and robbing and went to jail three years later after being arrested for a series of burglaries.

"Malcolm in prison not only got converted [to the Black Muslims]," began Ossie Davis, actor and friend of Malcolm X. "Even more important, he became educated."

He followed the teachings of the Honorable Elijah Muhammad who became his prophet. Soon, Malcolm X became the most visible and the most vocal leader of the Nation of Islam.

That religion imposed a strict moral discipline on its followers, a discipline that preached against some of Mr. X's skeletons in the closet: drugs and crime.

Black pride became the message of such a discipline.

"Thousands of years ago, the black man in Africa was living in palaces," Malcolm X said. "The black man in Africa was wearing silk, the black man in Africa had mastered the arts and the sciences. He knew the course of the stars in the universe before the man up in Europe knew that the Earth wasn't flat. Is that right or wrong?"

Unlike Muhammad, Malcolm sought publicity, making several provocative and inflammatory statements to predominantly white civic groups and college campus audiences, at times, branding white people as "devils."

"You know there are times when you need somebody to shake you, and push you, and make you face certain truths," Malcolm's friend Davis said. "Malcolm insisted that we do it."

"WE DECLARE OUR RIGHT ON THIS EARTH TO BE A MAN, TO BE A HUMAN BEING, TO BE RESPECTED AS A HUMAN BEING, TO BE GIVEN THE RIGHTS OF A HUMAN BEING IN THIS SOCIETY ON THIS EARTH, IN THIS DAY WHICH WE INTEND TO BRING INTO EXISTENCE BY ANY MEANS NECESSARY."

In the early '60's, Malcolm found that the civil rights movement wasn't doing "it" and certainly did not want want to integrate with his enemy.

It was also at this time that Malcolm X's growing prominence as the national spokesman for the Black Muslims began to cause jealousy in the ranks; and by late 1963, he was cast out of the Nation of Islam, obviously under the direction Muhammad.

No longer under the sway of his former prophet, Malcolm was freed of dogma, and he began to reevaluate. He went to Africa and made a pilgrimage to Mecca, where he learned about traditional Islamic religion. The white man was no longer the devil.

"The Holy Koran teaches us to judge a man by his conscious behavior, by his intentions, so I judge a man by his conscious behavior," Malcolm said. "I am not a racist. I don't subscribe to any of the tenants of racism."

Malcolm soon after formed his own group, the Organization of African-American Unity.

His effort was to try and get racism recognized not as a Negro problem, or a United States problem, "but a world problem, a human problem."

"And we think that the only way to get America to change their attitude is by bringing outside pressure and world pressure to bear."

The organization's political, economic and social philosophy was black nationalism, and its financing came from the Black Muslims who remained with him.

But the new movement never got off the ground, as Malcolm X was shot down at the age of 39, during a rally at the Audubon Ballroom in New York. He is buried as Al Hajj Malial-Shabazz, the name he had taken after making his holy pilgrimage.

There were some who believed the FBI was responsible for his death, but his daughter, Avala Shabazz, who witnessed the assassination of her father, believes her father was killed by the Black Muslims, what she calls simply "the Nation."

"So, when people say that indeed, perhaps there were members of the Nation that pulled the trigger, perhaps there was a joint conspiracy. That might be so," she said. "The government is involved in most of the things in our lives, but it does not exempt the fact that members of the Nation have blood on their hands. And I was a child who has that—that picture forever."

Perhaps Spike Lee has the reason why a resurgence of Malcolm X's message exists.

"...the black masses do not feel like [other civil rights leaders] are doing what needs to be done," said the director of a $30 million film about the leader. "So nobody is directing to go to Malcolm, but Malcolm speaks to him/her."

Editor's Note: My explanation of Malcolm X's message was greatly assisted by the February 23rd transcripts of a 60 Minutes *feature on the leader.*